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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Sir:

This is in response to a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR 1.53(f) mailed on February 12, 2004. Enclosed is a copy of said Notice and the following documents and fees to complete the filing requirements of the above-identified application.

- ☒ Executed Oath/Declaration. The above-identified application is the same application which the inventor(s) executed by signing the enclosed declaration.
- ☐ Statutory basic filing fee ☐ Utility \$770.00 ☐ Design \$340.00
- ☒ Statement of Non-Assignment
- ☒ Missing Parts Surcharge \$65.00
- ☒ Preliminary Amendment
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Respectfully submitted,

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF REISSUE APPLICATION***Filing Date Granted***

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this reissue application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

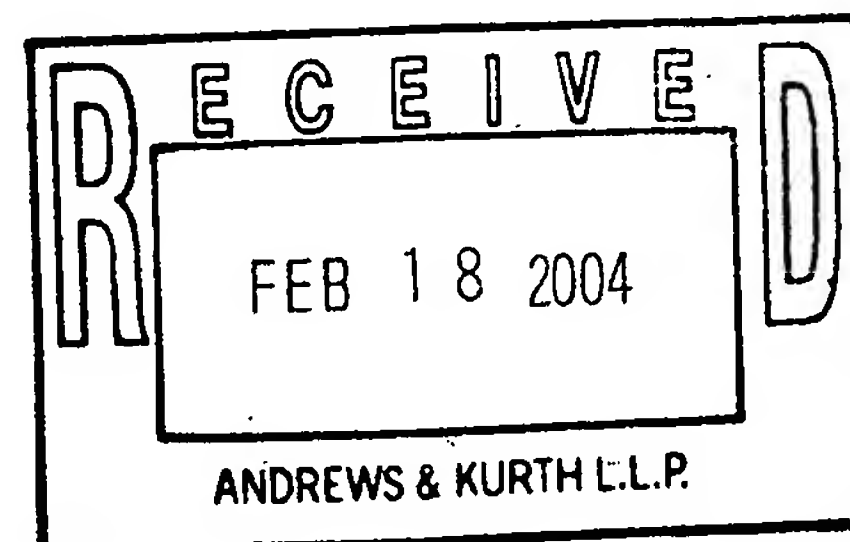
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- Consent of assignee is missing. 37 CFR 1.172 requires that a reissue oath/declaration be accompanied by the written consent of all assignees.
- Assignee's statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) establishing ownership of the patent is missing. 37 CFR 1.172 requires that all assignees consenting to the reissue application establish their ownership interest in the patent by filing in the reissue application a statement in accordance with 37 CFR 3.73(b).

★ *Claims 23-35 missing***SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

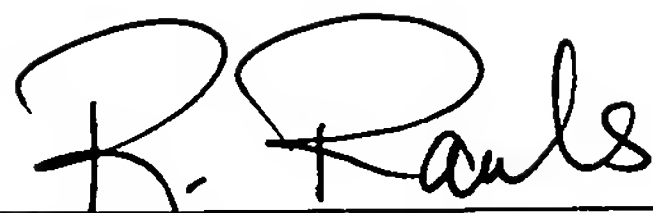
Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$65 for a Small Entity

- \$65 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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